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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (9-New)

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka
Chicago Division of the SLA;
MAYOR RICHARD J. DALEY - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: CHICAGO

On 3/22/76, Officer [redacted] 18th District, CPD, telephonically advised the following:

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He is in the possession of letter mailed to [redacted] c/o WMAQ (local radio station), Merchandise Mart, Chicago, Illinois, and a mimeographed copy of a letter mailed to Mayor DALEY. The letter stated in part "Don't go to the Democratic Convention--if you arrive you won't leave alive." The former letter, signed the Chicago Division of the SLA, refers to the DALEY letter and insists that the letter is serious. The letter is postmarked 3/19/76, Illinois.

On 3/23/76, it was determined that original letters have been turned over to the CPD crime lab. CPD investigation carried under report RD # X104600. In view of investigation by local police and processing of the original evidence by their agency, Chicago will conduct no active investigation. However, in view of the fact that the Mayor was directly named, Chicago will follow CPD investigation.

On 3/23/76, Agent [redacted] USSS, advised of the above threat against Mayor DALEY.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (100-441100) FROM CHICAGO (100-441100) (P)
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

RE CHICAGO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JUNE TWENTY SEVEN LAST.
[Illegible]

ENCLOSED FOR THE BUREAU ARE TWO COPIES OF A LETTER
[Illegible]

CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT, JUNE TWENTY SEVEN LAST.
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1. OFFENSE/INCIDENT-PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION ASSAULT		2 SECONDARY CLASSIFICATION NONE		INCIDENT CODE 390		3. BEAT OF OCCURRENCE 1814	
ADDRESS OF OCCURRENCE 222 MERCHANDISE MART PLAZA		APT. NO. 19TH FLOOR		DATE OCC. (DAY-MO-YR) 22 MARCH 76		TIME OF OCCURRENCE 1200	
7. TYPE OF LOCATION OR PREMISES WHERE OFFENSE OCCURRED (GIVE NAME OF LOCATION IF APPLICABLE)				LOCATION CODE 39		BEAT OR UNIT ASSIGNED 1810	
All information, descriptions and statements in this entire report are approximations or summarizations unless indicated otherwise.							
1. VICTIM'S NAME (FIRM NAME IF BUSINESS) DALEY RICHARD J.		SEX/RACE M W UNK		DATE OF BIRTH MAYOR OF CHICAGO		BUSINESS PHONE 744-4000	
14 VICTIM'S ADDRESS CITY HALL (CHICAGO)		APT. NO. (IF BUSINESS, NAME COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE)		HOME PHONE		13. TIME AVAILABLE 0700 1700	
16. PARENT/GUARDIAN, IF JUV.		CONTACTED ☒ DNA		SEX/RACE		HOME ADDRESS	
21. PERSON WHO DISCOVERED ☒ WITNESSED CRIME		SEX/RACE		HOME ADDRESS		APT. NO.	
22. PERSON WHO REPORTED ☒ WITNESSED CRIME		SEX/RACE		HOME ADDRESS		APT. NO.	
23. NAME OF WITNESS		SEX/RACE		HOME ADDRESS		APT. NO.	
31. OFFENDER'S NAME ☒ UNK (OR DESCRIBE CLOTHING, ETC.)		SEX/RACE		AGE		WEIGHT	
OFFENDER'S ADDRESS		ALIAS, MARKS, SCARS, DEFORMITIES, ETC.		EYES		HAIR	
35. OFFENDER'S VEHICLE YEAR MAKE BODY STYLE COLOR STATE LICENSE NO. STATE YEAR OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS		YEAR		MAKE		BODY STYLE	
51. VICTIM INJURED		52. LOCATION OF VICTIM ON PREMISES		53. NATURE OF INJURIES AND LOCATION ON BODY		54. IF VICTIM HOSPITALIZED, STATE WHERE	
55. WEAPON USED		56. POSSIBLE POINT OF ENTRY		57. POSSIBLE POINT OF EXIT		58. OTHER MEANS OF ATTACK (OR POSSIBLE TOOL(S) USED)	
60. BURGLAR ALARM ON PREMISES		61. ALARM CIRCUMVENTED		62. IF SAFE BURGLARY, METHOD USED		63. RESIDENCE, WHERE WERE OCCUPANTS?	
64. UNUSUAL CHARACTERISTICS OF CRIME (TRADE MARKS)		65. TYPE OF PROPERTY DAMAGED		66. TYPE OF PROPERTY DAMAGED		67. TYPE OF PROPERTY DAMAGED	
71. VEHICLE OR TRAILER YEAR MAKE BODY STYLE COLOR STATE LICENSE NO. STATE YEAR OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS		YEAR		MAKE		BODY STYLE	
72. DESCRIBE PROPERTY TAKEN IN NARRATIVE, LIST BY LINE AND CODE NO.		73. DESCRIBE PROPERTY RECOVERED IN NARRATIVE, LIST BY LINE AND CODE NO.		74. PROPERTY INVENTORY NUMBERS		75. VEHICLE INVENTORY NO.	
81. NARRATIVE (Do not duplicate or repeat above information--for explanation or additional information only.)		82. SOBRIETY OF VICTIM		83. EXTRA COPIES REQUIRED		84. CON'T.	
85. OFFICER NOTIFYING FOLLOW-UP INVEST. UNIT STAR NO. UNIT NOTIFIED		86. OFFICER NOTIFYING 1ST D/S INV. Y.O.B. LAB. CORONER		87. REPORTING OFFICER'S NAME (PRINT)		88. REPORTING OFFICER'S NAME (PRINT)	
89. SUPERVISOR APPROVING (PRINT NAME)		STAR NO.		OFFICER'S SIGNATURE		DATE REP.T.G. OFF. ARR.	
90. SUPERVISOR APPROVING (PRINT NAME)		STAR NO.		OFFICER'S SIGNATURE		DATE INVEST. COMPLETED	
91. SUPERVISOR APPROVING (PRINT NAME)		STAR NO.		OFFICER'S SIGNATURE		DATE APPR. (DAY-MO-YR)	

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SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT/CHICAGO POLICE X-1 0 1 6 0 0

1. OFFENSE CLASSIFICATION ON LAST PREVIOUS REPORT Simple Assault		2. OFFENSE CLASSIFICATION AS OF THIS DATE (IF SAME) D N A		3. WRITE DNA 663	4. BEAT OR UNIT ASSIGNED 1811
5. VICTIM'S NAME AS SHOWN ON CASE REPORT DALEY, Richard J.		6. CORRECTED? ☒ NO ☐ YES	7. VICTIM'S ADDRESS City Hall		8. PHONE NO. 111-4000
9. DATE OF THIS REPORT DAY 11 MO Apr YR 76		10. DATE REPORTING OFF ARR ORIGINAL CASE DAY 22 MO Mar YR 76		11. TIME 1700	
12. IF ROBBERY, IS IT A CHAIN STORE? ☐ YES ☒ NO		13. IF BURGLARY, TIME A		14. TYPE OF LOCATION WHERE OFFENSE OCCURRED (REFER TO CASE REPORT) Office	
15. IF ROBBERY, IS IT A CHAIN STORE? ☐ YES ☒ NO		16. ADDRESS OF OCCURRENCE 222 Merchandise Mart Plaza			
17. PROPERTY TAKEN MONEY ☐ \$ JEWELRY ☐ \$ FURS ☐ \$ CLOTHING ☐ \$ OFFICE EQUIP. ☐ \$		18. PROPERTY RECOVERED MONEY ☐ \$ JEWELRY ☐ \$ FURS ☐ \$ CLOTHING ☐ \$ OFFICE EQUIP. ☐ \$		19. FIREARMS NARCO/DANG. DRUGS OTHER (Specify)	
20. STATUS (CHECK ONE) ☐ CLO ☐ UNFO ☐ NOT CLO ☐ EX		21. IS FURTHER POLICE ACTION REQUIRED? ☐ YES ☒ NO		22. IF CASE IS CLEARED, HOW CLEARED? (USE THIS BOX FOR SINGLE CLEAR UP OR FIRST CLEAR UP OF MULTIPLE CLEAR UP LIST) ☐ ARREST & PROSC ☐ DIRECTED TO FAMILY CT ☐ COMPLY REFUSED TO PROSECUTE ☐ COMMUNITY ADJUSTMENT ☐ OTHER EXCEPTIONAL	

18. MULTIPLE CLEARANCES		BEAT OF OCC.		OFFENSE (GIVE THE OFFENSE/CLASSIFICATION OF LAST REPORT)	CLEARED BY ARREST	REFUSED TO PROSECUTE	OFFENDER ADMITTED TO CRIME	OTHER (SPECIFY IN NARR.)	CODE (LEAVE BLANK)
				UNFOUNDED					

The description of offenders, possible weapons and possible vehicles used by offenders, contained within this report are approximations or estimates unless otherwise indicated. The sobriety of victims, witnesses and offenders is their apparent condition, when reported. Witnesses location at time of crime and distance from scene is the best approximation obtainable. All statements of victims, witnesses and offenders are summarizations unless otherwise indicated. Record all developments in the case since the last report was filed. If the classification is changed, explain why.

19. NARRATIVE:

Date & time assigned: 24 Mar 76, 0900 hours b6
Date & time of interview: 24 Mar 76, 1100 hours (Person) b7C
Complainant: [REDACTED]
Investigation: On 22 Mar 76, a letter was received by the complainant, of NBC, which contained a threat against the life of Mayor Richard Daley. The signature on the letter was marked "the Chicago Division of SLA". The letter was turned over to the Police Department and inventoried at the 18th district under inventory #368324 and forwarded to the Document Section. Since the letter contained only vagueries, it was considered a prank and therefore, cannot be construed as a criminal offense. Consequently, this case is being unfounded.

I HAVE READ THIS REPORT AND BY MY SIGNATURE INDICATE THAT IT IS ACCEPTABLE								CONTINUED ON REVERSE SIDE	
20. ENTER CENTRAL BOOKING (CB) NUMBER, JUVENILE DISTRICT ADJUSTMENT (JDA) NUMBER OR YOUTH DIVISION (YD) NUMBER OF ALL PERSONS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY FOR THIS OFFENSE(S) AND DISTRICT OR UNIT NUMBER OF THE ARRESTING OFFICER									
CB NO./Y.D. NO. OR J.D.A. NO.	ARRESTING DIST. OR UNIT NO.	CB NO./Y.D. NO. OR J.D.A. NO.	ARRESTING DIST. OR UNIT NO.	CB NO./Y.D. NO. OR J.D.A. NO.	ARRESTING DIST. OR UNIT NO.	CB NO./Y.D. NO. OR J.D.A. NO.	ARRESTING DIST. OR UNIT NO.	CB NO./Y.D. NO. OR J.D.A. NO.	ARRESTING DIST. OR UNIT NO.
21. EXTRA COPIES REQUIRED (NO. & RECIPIENT)				22. DATE INVESTIGATION COMPLETED DAY 21 MO Apr YR 76 TIME 1730		23. SUPERVISOR APPROVING 76 STAR NO.			
24. REPORTING OFFICER (Print or Type) STAR NO.				25. REPORTING OFFICER (Print or Type) STAR NO.					
SIGNATURE				SIGNATURE					
DATE DAY 12 MONTH 4 YEAR 76 TIME 0944									

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (9-6654) (C)

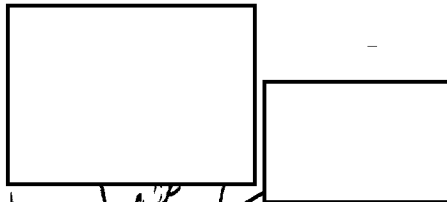
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On 4/11/76, Investigator [redacted], Chicago Police Department, reported that letter forwarded to the Document Section, Chicago Police Department Crime Lab. No determinations of the examination stated.

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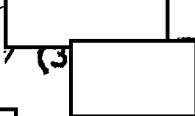
Further investigation by their agency showed letter to be a prank and case closed as "Unfounded," with the determination that there was no criminal offense, since "letter contained only vagueries."

In view of the above, Chicago will consider this case closed.



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